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Subject to the approval of the Primary Examiner in the above-entitled patent application, please substitute the enclosed one (1) formal drawing containing Figure 1 for the one (1) informal drawing containing Figure 1 as previously filed on June 27, 2001.

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully submit that the requested drawing substitution is consistent with the corresponding material in the specification and does not add any new matter to the application.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this request, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at the number shown below.

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